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In re Application of:

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION
DATED OCTOBER 3, 2002

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2002, for which the three-month date for response was January 3, 2003.

A request for a one-month extension of time to respond is included herewith along with the required fee. This one-month extension will bring the due date to February 3, 2003, which is within the six-month statutory period. Should such request or fee be deficient or absent, consider

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January 31, 2003

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